

PATENT APPLICATION Mo-5176 LeA 33,020

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| APPLICATION OF | |)) GROUP NO.: 1635)) EXAMINER: R. SCHNIZER) |
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| MARTIN ADAMCZEWSKI ET AL | | |
| SERIAL NUMBER: 09/303,232 | | |
| FILED: | APRIL 30, 1999 |) |
| TITLE: | NUCLEIC ACIDS WHICH ENCODE INSECT ACETYL- CHOLINE RECEPTOR SUBUNITS |)))) |

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(A) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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Date

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Name of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative

Signature January 26, 2005

Date

Please charge the fee for response within the third month, \$ 1,020.00, to Deposit Account Number 50-2510. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 50-2510. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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